



WIFE OF UNDETAILED ORDERED COLLECTED BLOOD

Information Indicates That Mrs. Minnie Williams Was Lured To Her Death By Telephone Call. Was Shot Five Times. Died Unable To Make Statement. Was Soon To Become A Mother.

Unfortunate Woman Was Devoted To Her Husband. Appeared Happy And Contented Before Leaving Home To Meet Her Doom.

That Mrs. Minnie Williams, wife of LeRoy Williams, Jr., the undertaker, was murdered in cold blood, is fully established by the evidence in the case and general information obtainable. It appears that the unfortunate woman was lured to her doom by a telephone message. The news of the terrible crime started in St. Louis last Saturday, for Mrs. Williams died Sunday, Jan. 28, at 4:00 p.m. The news of the crime was so shocking that the police were soon to become busy.

Little could be learned to shed a light on the murder, at the house of Mrs. Smith, 2223 Pine St., where the Williams lived. Mrs. Smith told an Argus reporter that about 3 o'clock there was a telephone call for Mrs. Williams. She had been drinking a cup of coffee, and after answering the call only said, "Don't let any one three or four minutes be back in a minute," and left the house, walking directly across the street toward the undertaking office, in which her husband was sitting, and turned east. She had appeared happy all day, and no one near her could believe she had the least thought of trouble.

The next heard of her was that she had been murdered in the house at 2131 Lawton Ave. She was shot five times; twice in the head, once in the left knee, once in the left hip and once in the right shoulder. She was unable to make a statement and died on the operating table.

At the home of her father-in-law, Undertaker L. S. Williams, 2223 Pine St., it was stated that the young couple were devoted to each other and had no family trouble. The funeral was held at All Saints Episcopal Church, Wednesday, at 10 a.m.

Police Report On Case
At the police station, Leffingwell and Leffingwell, the principals made statements as follows: Bertha Russell claims, at 11 a.m., Mrs. Williams asked for Pearl Johnson. Nettie Smith walked out of the house after she threatened to kill Pearl. She returned about 3:30, tried to force her way up the stairs, stating that either herself or Pearl Johnson were going to die. Nettie attempted to prevent her and both started to scuffle. Bertha Russell heard the noise, got a gun and came down stairs firing the times Mrs. Williams body.

CONVICT'S VERDICT, HOMICIDE
The coroner's jury returned a verdict of cold-blooded murder against Mrs. Williams.

After the police report of the murder and subsequent arrests had been read, Nettie Smith, the prosecution's witness, was called at the trial. She testified that she saw Mrs. Williams at 3131 Lawton Ave., where the murder occurred, testified that Mrs. Williams was called at the trial. She testified that she saw Mrs. Williams at 3131 Lawton Ave., where the murder occurred, testified that Mrs. Williams was called at the trial.

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BISHOP QUAYLE TO SPEAK FOR Y.M.C.A. JAN. 6

As a continuation of the series of big meetings which the Y.M.C.A. has been holding, the next meeting will be held at Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, Sunday, Jan. 6, at 4:00 p.m. The speaker for the day will be Bishop Wm. A. Quayle, who is well known in St. Louis.

Bishop Quayle is one of the most sought for speakers in this section of the country. He has, however, a year's engagement in the Pine St. Dept. Y. M. C. A., to make one address each season for them. On last year when Bishop Quayle spoke for the Y. M. C. A., the auditorium of the Union Memorial Church was crowded with men. That meeting was confined to men only, but because of the fact that the public in general will not be able in any other circumstances to hear Bishop Quayle, the Y.M.C.A. management has arranged that this meeting will be open to the public.

Bishop Quayle is a humorist, and lecturer of extraordinary powers. Indeed, he is said by some to be one of the world's greatest lecturers.

The meeting will be in charge of a committee of 100 members from the Y. M. C. A., of which Fred P. Blair is the chairman. The music for the day will be an especially interesting part of the program and will be in charge of Mr. Donald Taylor, of the High School Faculty. Mrs. Zell Cole-Evans will sing.

From all indications, this will be one of the most largely attended meetings which the Y. M. C. A. has ever had.

EDITOR J. E. MITCHELL QUEST AT STAYLER HOTEL
As a guest of a committee from Sherwin Weinstreiner's office, J. E. Mitchell, managing editor of the Argus, attended a banquet at the Stayler Hotel last Saturday night and enjoyed the hospitality of the finest hotel in the city.

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REV. R. E. GILLMAN DROPS DEAD
Rev. R. E. Gillman, district superintendent of the Mexican, Mo. District of the M. E. Church, was found dead in the suburbs of Florissant, Christmas Eve. The funeral was held at the St. Louis Memorial M. E. Church in St. Louis for nine years, and was with that congregation when it moved from St. Louis and Wash to its present large edifice at Pine and Leffingwell in 1907.

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Shirley's Banquet Saturday Night
The banquet affair during the holidays was the most sumptuous banquet tendered Jordan M. Morris, Imperial Potawatomi, at the Shrine, at the Masonic Hall, tomorrow night at Medina Temple.

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THERE IS A REASON
These progressive changes have been brought about by an unflinching, staunch, true and honest policy. As servants of the people we have striven to do the people's will. As protectors of the race we have been conservative, but not over so. We have sounded the alarm in time of danger but have not been calumny-hoaxers. We have gained the confidence of the people because we have spoken only the truth, giving justice to all, fair and fearless.

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There are some people who are charged with the duty of not saying whether the Lieutenant is true or not, but I sincerely trust he will show more attention and thought to his expected duties as a soldier, and to his dignity as an alumnus of the University of Washington, than to his private life.

AMERICAN RED CROSS
National Headquarters
Washington, D. C.
December 19, 1917.
My Dear Mr. Turpin:
Permit me in behalf of the Red Cross War Council to acknowledge the receipt of your check for \$25.00, covering the proceeds of the special Red Cross benefit given at your theatre of the Grand Opera House, St. Louis, December 15, at which time the sum of \$27,105 was raised, all of which went to the purchase of new Christmas packages for the Red Cross.

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FEMALE BAND AND ORCHESTRA
The band and orchestra will be at all the Supreme Camp Sessions in December. The band will play for the Supreme Camp Sessions in December. The band will play for the Supreme Camp Sessions in December.

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SAVANNAH PEOPLE SAVE \$30,000 FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Money Drawn Out of Three Banks, Run by Colored To Be Used in Spreading Good Cheer During Christmas.

Nearly thirty thousand (30,000) dollars were handed out this week by the three Negro banks of the city to the members of their Christmas savings clubs. The exact amount issued out to the members was \$29,618. The number of persons taking part this year in the savings clubs of these banks was twenty-five hundred, giving an approximate average amount saved per member of \$12.00.

The largest amount saved by these clubs was that at the Wage Earners Savings Bank, \$20,000.00 by 1,500 members. The next highest was the Mechanics Savings Bank, which had saved \$25,000.00. This is a very large amount, and it is a credit to the members of the Negro banks' savings clubs last year. New clubs have already been started by these institutions, and indications already point to a larger amount than ever before in this year next year than ever before.

COMFORT COMMITTEE SENDING OUT PLEDGE CARDS
Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—Colored people throughout the country are being given an opportunity to show how they are in their regret over the tragic slaying of a colored soldier, and to show their sympathy for the National Colored Soldiers' Comfort Committee in sending out one hundred thousand pledge cards with an urgent appeal to respond with contributions to the fund for the National Colored Soldiers' Comfort Committee.

NEGROES PATRONIZE OIL STATION
C. Arthur Lewis, in charge of Crown Oil Gasoline Station, No. 25, at Ewing and Olive, is receiving many thanks to his support by automobile drivers and race owners of cars. Mr. Lewis is now in charge of the station, and has a full charge of a Standard Oil filling station, and his success may mean a new avenue for colored men.

NEW YEAR GREETINGS
We wish to extend to our friends and patrons our best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

ANNUAL MATINEE DANCE
The Elks Club will give their Annual Matinee Dance, New Years Day, at the Elks Club, 215 E. 12th St., at 1 to 6. Music by W. D. Flowers. Admission 25 cents.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES
Happy New Year to the Girls and Women of St. Louis and Their Friends.

The Christmas Service
The Christmas Service last Sunday was enjoyed by all present. The service was held at the St. Louis Baptist Church, and was a very successful one.

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NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS

Let us resolve to be true in the true sense of the word; knowing for ourselves that we are men and not satisfied with anything less than a complete liberty.

Let us teach the people of our race that they possess the brain and brawn to do anything that any other race can do or dare. Let us teach them that the people of our race and dark complexion do not forfeit nature's claim to being equal, but affection dwells in black and white the same.

Let us swear our oaths to men and measures that have been fair and just to our race. Let us set our faces like flint against those who have hindered our progress.

Let us resolve to fight to make the world safe for democracy that will include the Negro in America. Any other democracy is false. Let us resolve to give every man a square deal and in turn expect and demand a square deal from him.

PRESS COMMENT ON THE HOUSTON COURT MARTIAL

The following extracts were taken from editorial comments on the Houston Court-martial made by newspapers throughout the country: These men would not desert their cause, or prove in any way disloyal to the American flag. They have died in a glorious struggle and are making a new epoch in Negro history. The trenches to be taken by Negro soldiers are everywhere in America and the Negro will not let "nigger the top" until there is a decided clash between the whites and blacks in the South.—Twin City Star, Minneapolis.

When the Government of the United States commences the lynching of colored people what can we expect the haters of the colored people in the Southland to do but follow suit? . . . These thirteen soldiers will go down in history as martyrs to the cause of liberty and self-preservation. Their names will be linked with that of John Brown of Harper's Ferry. His enemies also said that he was a fanatic and that what he did was without warrant or authority, yet his act was the kindling of the fire that liberated four million slaves.—The Tropic, Philadelphia.

The States have authority within their territory. They may allow Texas to lynch a Negro because he is black; Georgia to lynch a Jew because of his race; but the uniform of the United States army should be everywhere in the United States have both protection and respect, whatever be the race or color or creed of the wearer, and especially in this time of great war, the whole civil and military power of the nation should, if needful, be exercised to insure such protection and respect.—The Buffalo Courier.

The execution of that many or a few more white people in East St. Louis would go a long way toward putting down the race riots that are started by white hoodlums, none of whom are as respectable as the Negroes whom they persecute. The officials of Illinois must feel the disgrace which the East St. Louis affair brought on them very keenly. There is just one way to erase that disgrace from the escutcheon of the despotic of Illinois. That way is to ascertain who is responsible for the East St. Louis murders and to take those who were responsible out and hang them without any more ceremony, unless red tape or dilly-dallying than was shown their brothers in crime in Texas.—Pueblo (Colo.) Chieftain.

It is greatly to be feared that this country is making future trouble for itself by having one sort of law for the white man and quite a different and more drastic one for the black man.—The New York Globe.

The blot upon their escutcheon, caused by resenting the insults and humiliations to which they were subjected, will never dim the lustre born of many glorious victories on the field of battle, when their blood, as freely as water, flowed in defense of the honor and glory of their country.—Chippewa (O.) Union.

We implore the officials of the War Department not to place a too heavy burden upon the race. We are now staggering under one as heavy as we can bear, and a far heavier one than our loyalty justifies. Don't make the load too heavy. This is not a threat; it is not a warning; it is but a solemn admonition from a tired people—tired of being yoked to oppression, and shackled to persecution.—The Washington Bee.

They "gave their lives a ransom for many." While technically and legally they erred, still in the light of the Ages and in the eyes of the All-Seeing, they were "more sinned against than sinning." It is written: "They went to their death with heroic stoicism. There was neither bravado nor fear."—Savannah Tribune.

PRAISES FOR THE ARGUS

St. Louis, Mo.,
Dec. 24, 1917

Dear Sir:

In view of the unselfish service your good paper has rendered to our race this year, we wish to offer our prayers and best wishes for a prosperous new year.

Cordially,
N. L. Smith, pastor; A. J. Gardner, secretary; Lane Talpazac, C. M. E. Church.

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New Year Bells
by Alfred Tennyson

RING out, wild bells, to the wild sky,

The flying cloud, the frosty light;

The year is dying in the night.

Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old, ring in the new,

Ring, happy bells, across the snow;

The year is going, let him go;

Ring out the false, ring in the true.

RING out the grief that saps the mind

For those that here we see no more;

Ring out the feud of rich and poor,

Ring in redress for all mankind.

Ring out a slowly dying cause,

And ancient forms of party strife;

Ring in the nobler modes of life,

With sweeter manners, purer laws.

RING out the want, the care, the sin,

The faithless coldness of the times;

Ring out, ring out my mournful rhymes,

But ring the fuller minstrel in.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,

The civic slander and the spite;

Ring in the love of truth and right,

Ring in the common love of good.

RING out old shapes of foul disease,

Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;

Ring out the thousand wars of old,

Ring in the thousand years of peace.

Ring in the valiant man and free,

The larger heart, the kindlier hand;

Ring out the darkness of the land;

Ring in the Christ that is to be.

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QUERIES

Lucy.—We are not certain as to the being Colored Red Cross Nurses in service or training, but all information desired on the subject may be obtained by writing to, or calling at the American Red Cross office, 611 Locust St.

Beiler.—The only "Boosters Club" of which we have any knowledge, is the one that recently raised the fund for the soldiers at Camp Funston. There has been talk of making this club a permanent organization, but for full information, write Mr. Charles Mills, N. E. corner Compton and Lawton Avenues.



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NEXT WEEK AT THE BOOKER WASHINGTON

NEXT WEEK AT THE PENDLETON THEATRE

PENDLETON AND FINNEY AVENUES

SPECIAL SUNDAY, DEC. 30

MONDAY

Margery Wilder in

"MOUNTAIN DEW"

(A Triangle Play)

(Chapter 10 of "The Silent Partner")

"FATAL RING"

TUESDAY

Blanche Sweet in

"THE SILENT PARTNER"

A Paramount Picture

AND OTHER FEATURES

WEDNESDAY

Mary Anderson and Antonio Moreno

"THE MAGNIFICENT MEDDLER"

A Vitaphone production

Chapter 7 of

"WHO IS NUMBER ONE?"

THURSDAY

"THE SEVEN PEARLS"

and

TRIANGLE PLAYS

SPECIAL FEATURES

FRIDAY

Pauline Frederick in

"HER BETTER SELF"

A Paramount picture

"DANGERS OF A BRIDE"

Hearst-Pathé News

SATURDAY

"THE GHOST OF OLD MORGAN"

Wm. Duncan in

The first chapter of

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"THE RED ACE"

Sunday, Dec. 30—7th Episode of

"WHO IS NUMBER ONE?"

Tuesday, Jan. 1—14th Episode of

"THE LOST EXPRESS"

Wednesday, Jan. 2—12th Episode of

"THE 7 PEARLS"

Friday, Jan. 4—3rd Episode of

"THE HIDDEN HAND"

Assisted by Sheldon Lewis, Arline

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SPECIAL FEATURES DAILY

NEW YEAR'S DAY

Bluebird Photoplay present Franklin

Farm in a new photoplay

"ANYTHING ONCE"

"WHO IS NUMBER ONE?"

Friday, January 4

"BROADWAY ARIZONA"

One of the Great Triangle Plays

SERIAL

Monday—"SEVEN PEARLS"

Tuesday—"WHO IS NUMBER ONE?"

Thursday—"THE FIGHTING

TRAIL"

Friday—"THE HIDDEN HAND"

Saturday—"The Fighting Trail"

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